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HOUSE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Pregnancy rates among Hispanic teenagers are alarming; and

WHEREAS, The General Assembly should take action to find appropriate and effective solutions for this problem; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that the House Task Force on Hispanic Teen Pregnancy is created to study the rate of pregnancy among Hispanic teenage girls; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall consist of 3 Representatives and 3 public members appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and 3 Representatives and 3 public members appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the public members of the task force shall represent the Hispanic community and providers of health care and other services to teenagers; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the task force shall submit a report of its findings and recommendations, including recommendations for legislation, to the House of Representatives no later than December 31, 2006.